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25X1A	1. Over the weekend, of ONE, met Corbin Allardice, Executive Director of the Joint Congressional Committee on Atomic Energy and also met Chairman Cole. The Chairman appeared quite willing to accept on the Committee trip if it would be helpful for CIA to	у,
25X1A	have along. However, he has indicated that a State Department area specialist will accompany the Committee which will obviate the need	
25X1A	of a CIA man to brief the Committee enroute. In addition, the trip has been somewhat curtailed because of the delay in the departure date. As a result, recommended to the DD/I, Mr. Amory, that he not accompany the Committee on this trip, which was the same recommenda-	
	tion that I had made to Mr. Kirkpatrick. The DD/I discussed the matter with the DCI, who concurred provided that we could withdraw without any hard feelings. This has been arranged.	
25Х1А Г	2. On 12 November Mr. Bradford Morse, of the office of Senator Saltonstall, informed me that his office had been approached by a former CIA employee, with a request for assistance in getting	25X1A]
25X1A	employment. had indicated to Mr. Morse that while he had been at CIA (where he was in Commo training) he had informed our Security Office that a fellow-employee was subversive. He stated further that Security having done nothing about this case he had then taken the	
	matter to the FBI which had in turn turned the matter over to the CIA Security Office with no results, and that because of this incident had been discharged. He subsequently got a GS-3 job at the Geological	25X1A
	has also taken this matter to Senator Bridges' office, but that Mr. Morse	25X1A
25X1A	had offered to run the story down for both offices. I discussed this matter with in Security, who stated that charges about his fellow-employee were thoroughly investigated and proved to be ground-	25X1A
25X1A	less; further, that had never been able to substantiate them with specific information. The record further indicates that was not discharged but resigned on 21 July 1952 for "family reasons". I also	25X1A

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	discussed the case with General McClelland, AD/Commo, who stressed not only the above incident, but also two other incidents in which was involved, both of which resulted in noteriety. The first was the disarming of a soldier who was waving a gun around in a public place, and the second for alleged difficulties also to the second for alleged difficulties.	25X1A
25X1A	and the second for alleged difficulties which was having with a friend of his who was allegedly molesting wife. Gen. McClelland stated that these incidents had attracted so much notoriety that it had in effect blown cover and made it impossible for him to go overseas. Commo had suggested that he might wish to look for employment elsewhere, but he was not discharged. I have communicated the substance of the above to Mr. Morse, who hopes that this will close the case.	25X1A 25X1A
	3. Congressman Machrowicz (D., Mich.) called me regarding a letter he has received from the Rvd. Ks Tomasz Kolakowski, of the International Anticommunist Refugee Press Agency of 2960 Tilton Street, Philadelphia, dated 5 November 1954. This letter seeks information regarding Bishop Josef Padewski, Bishop of the Polish National Church, who was last heard of in the hands of the Polish secret police. Kolakowski requests Cong. Machrowicz to see if he can secure any information regarding the fate of the Bishop from	
25X1A 	The Congressman has made the letter available to us, and I have given it to of OO/C, so that he may interrogate concerning the incident 25X1X	25X1X
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25X1A	5. At the suggestion of Deputy Security Office, I have called John Sipes, of the Department of State, to tell him that Mr. Sourwine, of the Senate Judiciary Committee staff, is prodding us for the return of the Committee transcript of the hearings in the Davies case. Mr. Sipes will arrange to have the material returned to us as quickly as possible, and I have so informed Sourwine. Mr. Sipes also told me that the Committee had sent them a letter some time ago asking when the transcript would be returned, but at that time the State Department responded only in general terms as they felt that the Committee was on a fishing expedition to attempt to ascertain when the decision in the Davies case might be expected.	

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	Cal.) and Cong. Joe Holt (R., Cal.)
have both received a CIA briefing	
with the Chinese.	
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